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Major Kendall K. Hoyt
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Dear Major Hoyt:

The caption under the photograph with the article on C.A.P. Coastal Patrol, which appeared in the May 1944 issue of "Air Pilot and Technician", was hardly in keeping or even related to the subject matter, and after reading it I was thoroughly incensed.

We all realize that in aviation there have been many personal differences but this is the first time that I have ever observed anyone deliberately attempting to take it out on the other fellow through the publication of an innuendo.

It is a well-known fact that in your capacity as Public Relations Officer of the Civil Air Patrol, you are responsible for the approval of this article, if not its authorship. As an officer of the United States Army, you have a grave responsibility on your shoulders, and I would like to have an explanation for what appears to be the abuse of your high position to further a personal feud.

Yours very truly,

WM. L. ANDERSON
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